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Sir:

1. This is a Request for filing a new Patent Application(☐ Design ☒ Utility) entitled:

2. (Complete) Title:

PROCESS FOR REMOVING ALUMINUM SPECIES FROM ALKALI METAL
HALIDE BRINE SOLUTIONS

without a filing fee or Oath/Declaration but for which is enclosed the following:

3. ☒ Abstract 1 page(s).4. 13 Pages of Specification (only spec. and claims); 5. ☐ Specification in non-English language6. 8 Numbered claim(s); and7. ☒ 1 sheet(s) per set; ☐ 1 set informal; 8. ☒ formal of size: ☒ A4 ☐ 11"9. **DOMESTIC/INTERNATIONAL** priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(e)/120/365(c) based on the following provisional, nonprovisional and/or PCT international application(s):

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10. **FOREIGN** priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(a)-(d)/365(b) based on filing in

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11. (No.) Certified copy (copies): ☐ attached; ☐ previously filed (date)
in U.S. Application No. / filed on 12. ☐ This is a reissue of Patent No. 13. ☐ See top first page re prior Provisional, National, International application(s) (X box only if info is there and do not complete corresponding item 14 or 15.)14. ☐ **Amend the specification** by inserting before the first line -- This is a ☐ Continuation-in-Part
☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation ☐ Substitute Application (MPEP 201.09) of:14(a) ☐ National Appln. No. / filed -- (M#)14(b) ☐ International Appln. No. PCT/ filed 15. ☐ **Amend the specification** by inserting before the first line: --This application
claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/ , filed --16. Extension to date: ☐ concurrently filed ☐ not needed ☐ previously filed

17. ☐ Prior application is assigned to

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18. ☐ **Attached:**

19. This application is made by the following named inventor(s)

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APPLICATION UNDER UNITED STATES PATENT LAWS

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This is a:

- ☐ Provisional Application
- ☒ Regular Utility Application
- ☐ Continuing Application
- ☐ PCT National Phase Application
- ☐ Design Application
- ☐ Reissue Application
- ☐ Plant Application
- ☐ Substitute Specification
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in App. No. _____ / _____
- ☐ Marked Up Specification re
Sub. Spec. filed _____
in App. No. _____ / _____

SPECIFICATION